

## Senate Bill No. 382

## Special Act No. 16-22

## AN ACT CONCERNING TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAMS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) Not later than December 31, 2016, the Department of Education and the Office of Higher Education shall enter into an agreement with the Council for the Accreditation of Educator Preparation for the purposes of accrediting and establishing standards for programs of educator preparation leading to professional certification, under chapter 166 of the general statutes, offered at public and independent institutions of higher education in the state.

Approved June 10, 2016